## ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING

## **BEFORE THE**

## SECURITIES COMMISSIONER OF SOUTH CAROLINA

| IN THE MATTER OF: | )   |                    |
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|                   | )   | SUMMARY SUSPENSION |
| Robert W. Denton, | j j |                    |
| CRD # 1241683     | )   | File No. 14028     |
|                   | )   |                    |
| Respondent.       |     |                    |

WHEREAS, the Securities Division of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of South Carolina has been authorized and directed by the Securities Commissioner of South Carolina (the "Securities Commissioner") to administer the provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 35-1-101, et seq., the South Carolina Uniform Securities Act of 2005 (the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 35-1-412(f), the Securities Commissioner may summarily suspend a respondent's registration before the final determination of an administrative proceeding;

NOW THEREFORE, upon due consideration of the subject matter contained in a related administrative proceeding under the Act having the same file number, 14028, and having reason to believe that Respondent violated certain provisions of the Act and the Rules promulgated thereunder;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 35-1-412(f), the broker-dealer agent registration of Respondent Robert W. Denton has been and is SUMMARILY SUSPENDED. This suspension will remain in effect pending resolution of the related proceeding.

## **NOTICE AND OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING**

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 35-1-412(f), Respondent is hereby given notice that he may request a hearing on the summary suspension by giving written notice to Thresechia Navarro, Post Office Box 11549, Rembert C. Dennis Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1549. In the event such a hearing is requested, within fifteen (15) business days after the receipt of a written request the matter will be scheduled for a hearing. If a hearing is not requested and none is ordered by the Securities Commissioner

within 30 days after the date of service of the order, the order becomes final by operation of law and will remain in effect until it is modified or vacated in accordance with the Act.

ENTERED, this the 2 day of July, 2014. Columbia, South Carolina

ALAN WILSON SECURITIES COMMISSIONER

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